chemical approaches, and have recently demonstrated commercially useful performance in polyurethane sealants by providing crosslinking sites for alkoxysilane-functional polyurethanes (see EP 676,403 and U.S. Patent 6,197,912, incorporated herein by reference). The preparation of such silanes has been achieved with some degree of complexity, however.

Replace the paragraph at Page 8, lines 20-23 with the following paragraph:

It appears that a methyl/alkoxy group exchange reaction, recently observed for other hydrosilations of methyldialkoxysilanes (see U.S. Patent 6,166,238, Filipkowski et al, incorporated herein by reference), does not occur to a significant extent during hydrosilations of secondary methallylamines.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 1 (Amended): A method of preparing a secondary aminoisobutylalkoxysilane comprising hydrosilating a secondary methallylamine with a hydridoalkoxysilane in the presence of an effective amount of a platinum hydrosilation catalyst.

Claim 2 (Amended): The method of Claim 1 wherein the secondary aminoisobutylalkoxysilane is

$$R^1NH\text{-}T\text{-}SiR^3_a(R^2)_{3-a},$$

the hydridoalkoxysilane is

$$HSiR^3_a(R^2)_{3-a},$$

and the secondary methallylamine is

$$R^1NH\text{-}(U\text{-}O_m)_u\text{-}CH_2C(CH_3)=CH_2,$$